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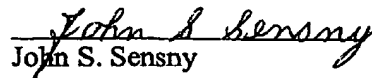
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DATA CHARGING METHOD**Dated:** July 23, 2004**Confirmation No.:** 8134Commissioner for Patents  
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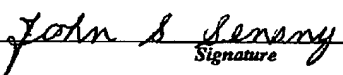
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